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Applicant : Yingyos Avihingsanon *et al.* Art Unit : Unknown
Serial No. : 09/777,732 Examiner : Unknown
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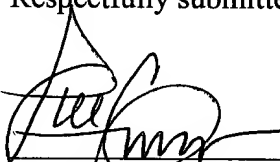
PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated March 30, 2001, be extended for four months to and including October 1, 2001, (September 30, 2001 being a Sunday).

Enclosed is a check for \$720 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 1, 2001



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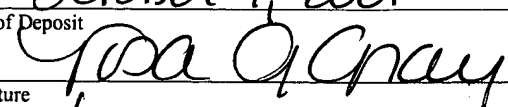
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